COMBINED DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY FOR PATENT APPLICATION

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

TYPE OF DECLARATION

This declaration is for a non-provisional utility application.

INVENTORSHIP IDENTIFICATION

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name. I believe I am an original, first and joint inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a utility patent is sought on the invention entitled:

ANTIVIRAL PROTEINS WITH IMPROVED PROPERTIES AND METHODS THEREFOR

the specification of which was filed on April 6, 2006, as United States national phase utility application of PCT/US04/33230, which bears serial number 10/574,826, and bears Attorney Docket No. 33331-006.

SPECIFICATION IDENTIFICATION

The specification is attached hereto.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF REVIEW OF PAPERS AND DUTY OF CANDOR

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the patentability of this application as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56.

CLAIM OF BENEFIT OF EARLIER U.S./PCT APPLICATION(S) UNDER 35 U.S.C. SECTION 120

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, §119(a)-
 (d) or §365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate, or
§365(a) of any PCT International application designating at least one country other
than the United States listed below and have also identified below any foreign
application for patent or inventor's certificate or PCT International application having
a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

Appln.	Country	Filing Date	Priority Claimed	
Number	(if PCT, so indicate)	J	Yes	No

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, § 119(e) or §120 of any United States application(s), or §365(c) of any PCT International application(s) designating the United States of America listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States or PCT International application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, §112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose information material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56 which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT International filing date of this application:

Application Serial No.	Filing Date	Status (Patented, Pending, Abandoned)
60/510,060	9 October 2003	Now abandoned (pending at PCT filing).
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PCT International Applications designating the United States:

PCT Appln No.	US Serial No.	PCT Filing Date	Status
PCT/US2004/033230		8 October 2004	Pending at national
			phase

Insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of those applications is not disclosed in that/this application, I acknowledge the duty to disclose information that occurred prior to the filing of this application.

POWER OF ATTORNEY

I hereby appoint attorney Sonia K. Guterman, Registration Number 44,729, associated with Lawson & Weitzen, LLP, Customer Number 48425, to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the United States Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith: Address all telephone calls to Sonia K. Guterman at telephone number 617-439-4990. Address all correspondence to Customer No. 48425.

DECLARATION

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or patent issued thereon.

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